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SUBJECT: SOVIETS SUPPORT NORTH KOREAN UN STAND

CINCPAC FOR POLAD

REF: STATE 184584

1. A PRAVDA COMMENTARY BY VALENTIN SHAROV (AUGUST 24) VOICED  
SOVIET SUPPORT FOR THE UN AGENDA ITEM ON THE "WITHDRAWAL

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OF ALL FOREIGN FORCES UNDER THE UN FLAG FROM SOUTH KOREA

(REFTEL, PARA 13). THE ARTICLE ARGUES THAT THE PRESENCE OF U.S. AND ALLIED FORCES IS A SERIOUS OBSTACLE TO THE PEACEFUL REUNIFICATION OF KOREA AND KEEPS UP TENSIONS IN THE REGION. THEREFORE NORTH KOREA WANTS THEM OUT AND THE USSR SUPPORTS NORTH KOREA. THE SEOUL AUTHORITIES' OPPOSITION TO THIS PROPOSAL REVEALS THEM AS ENEMIES OF PEACEFUL REUNIFICATION, WHICH IS IN THE INTEREST OF THE KOREAN PEOPLE. THIRTY-TWO COUNTRIES, INCLUDING THE USSR, HAVE SPONSORED THIS PROPOSAL.

2. COMMENT: THE ARGUMENTS ARE PRO FORMA, ECEPT FOR SOME SHARP KICKS AT SEOUL FOR ITS RECENT "REPRESSIVE" MEASURES. THE ARTICLE CLEARLY PLACES MOSCOW ON PYONGYANG'S TEAM ON THIS ISSUE, BUT NOT AS THE BALL CARRIER.  
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